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FROM : Chief of Mission, (Trieste)

INFO: Senior Representative,
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SUBJECT: GENERAL— PCTLT/INTEL

SPECIFIC— Possible PCTLT Propaganda Campaign against U. S. Ambassador
to Italy

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1. OVERTURE reported on 28 January that a member of the PCTLT had brought to the attention of the Party a copy of Pianotta, published June 1926 by Nertini, Via Faenza, Florence, which portrayed a nude girl covered only a fan. This girl was identified as the American ballerina, Claire Luce.
 2. According to OVERTURE, the PCTLT believes that subject of the photograph may be identical with the United States Ambassador to Italy and is making inquiries of l'Unita in Rome relative to possible publication of the photograph.

[Signature]
E. Blevins

29 January 1954

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